

**LIST OF COMMUNITY PROBLEMS AND NEEDS OF AREA SERVED  
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(April 1, 2012 – June 30, 2012)**

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1. The ongoing problems of employment and housing associated with the economic recovery of South Florida.
2. The issue of crime associated with the downturn in the economy.
3. The needs of the health care community.
4. The challenges facing the educational system.
5. The need to protect our environment and the tourism and jobs associated with it.
6. The problems facing minority members in our community.

WPTV SIGNIFICANT PROGRAMS AND BROADCAST EFFORTS IN RESPONSE  
TO THE FOREGOING NEEDS AND PROBLEMS OF THE COMMUNITY

- 1.A. TITLE: Various  
B. TIME/DAY: Within 5am, 6am  
12pm, 5, 5:30 6 & 11pm or Sundays at 6:30am  
C. TYPE: Public Affairs  
D.SOURCE: Local  
E.FREQUENCY: Weekly

Reports and interviews usually two to three minutes in length, which expand upon current problems and issues facing the community.

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 4/11/12 – Employers throughout the area are preparing for the West Palm Beach Diversity Job Expo. It's being held Wednesday at the Embassy Suites Hotel in West Palm Beach. Those who attend, they will have the chance to interview with employers and participate in seminars. Both entry level and more advanced jobs will be available. (1-2 minutes in length – 6:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 4/3/12 – There's encouraging news for those college students who will soon be graduating. The hiring of college graduates are expected to rise more than 10% this year according to the National Association of Colleges and employers. In addition, more companies are returning to campuses for recruiting fairs and career counselors are reporting students are getting multiple job offers. (1-2 minutes in length - 5:30PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 4/5/12 – There's some good news on the economic crisis. Unemployment numbers are at the lowest level since 2008. It's another sign that our recovery is accelerating. 357,000 Americans claimed new unemployment benefits last week, which was the lowest number in four years. The news was music to the President's ears as he runs for re-election. (1-2 minutes in length – 11:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 4/6/12 – New Numbers show foreclosure rates in Palm Beach County have increased 65% in the last year. But there's more to the numbers than meets the eye. At this time last year, several banks had frozen foreclosure filings; they were pending cases with the attorney general over robo-signing. Now that a settlement has been reached, foreclosures are up yet again. County Clerk Sharon Bock calls the statistics “dramatic” and “bad timing” as budget cuts to her office loom in the next three months. (1-2 minutes in length – 5:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 4/20/12 – Good news when it comes to the economy, Florida’s unemployment rate saw it’s largest monthly drop in almost twenty years. It’s now down to nine percent. The state’s unemployment rate fell four tenths of a percent last month. In every county in our area the unemployment rate dropped, with the biggest declines in Okeechobee and Indian River counties where it fell six tenths of a percent. (1-2 minutes in length – 5:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 4/22/12 – More job losses could be on the way for city workers in Port St. Lucie this week. It’s all part of the efforts by the city manager to reorganize municipal services. He says an additional \$600,000 dollars in budget cuts is needed, and the cuts are being made from the top down. A number of workers have already lost their jobs, including some from the money-losing civic center. Additional cuts are expected in the utility systems department. (1-2 minutes in length – 6:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 4/25/12 – Leaders in the Glades continue to work on a solution for houses in the area that remain in poor condition. Yesterday the Glades Summit brought members from HUD, the USDA and local leaders to Palm Beach State College to discuss the future of Glades housing. A \$2 million dollar grant is being used to develop a master plan. The goal is to find a plausible way to bring deteriorating homes up to code without displacing residents or making it unaffordable. (1-2 minutes in length - 6:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 5/1/12 – Palm Beach County Commissioners are expected to o.k. a move that could raise the sales tax by “half” a percent, but local voters will have to approve it. The County staff has proposed raising sales tax from 6% to 6.5%. That could generate up to \$103 million dollars a year for transportation costs like Palm Tran, roads and bridges. (1-2 minutes in length - 5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 5/3/12 – There’s some good overall economic news out of Palm Beach County. The county is starting to see improvement, specifically in taxable sales – which includes consumer and business spending. Those sales saw an almost 11% increase since last year. Economists say an improving job market has encouraged consumers to spend, particularly on big-ticket items like cars. Also, after rising for four months, the number of personal bankruptcy filings held steady in Palm Beach County in April. (1-2 minutes in length – 5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 5/9/12 – About 150 workers at TLO, a Boca Raton technology and data company, are out of a job this morning. The company sent notices to about two thirds of its workforce yesterday that they were being temporarily laid off. The letter say employees will be out of work for about five months until the company can stabilize its finances. (6:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 5/17/12 – Brand new foreclosure numbers released overnight for the month of April and it's not looking good for Florida. Nationwide, foreclosures were down but not in Florida. Compared to April 2011, US foreclosures were down 14% but in Florida compared to April 2011, foreclosures were up 26%. That gives Florida the third highest rate during that time period. Miami was the number two city in America for the most foreclosures. Tampa was fifth. (1-2 minutes in length – 5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 –5/22/12 – The popular department store Lord & Taylor announced it will be moving back to the sunshine state, specifically to a new store in Mizner Park in Boca Raton. The company will begin construction on its newest store this fall. They plan to open it in September of 2013. (1-2 minutes in length - 5:30PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 5/25/12 – More and more local dog and cat owners have to make a very tough decision. Feed their pets or feed their families. Tough times are taking their toll not just on people but on man's best friend, too. A job loss, a pay cut could mean the difference between being able to feed that pet at home or to turn it over to a rescue. Now there is an organization called Kibblez of Love which is a pet food pantry. So far they have given away 3,600 pounds of pet food. (1-2 minutes in length –11:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 6/12/12 – A ribbon is cut this morning on a new facility in our area, where more than 50 veterans will have jobs. The new Locus Traxx headquarters is based in Jupiter and they specialize in shipping and tracking temperature controlled food. It's a 60,000 square foot building that will be home to corporate offices and manufacturing. Veterans will be hired because they are good team players, they have good educations, and they have leadership capabilities. (1-2 minutes in length - 5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 2 –4/14 /12 – Thieves in Martin County hit up an agency that helps the elderly. The Council on Aging is now in need of \$6,000 to repair five buses. Investigators say thieves stole the catalytic converter off of the vehicles. This device controls emissions from the buses which can still be used. The buses transport seniors from their homes to the Council's center. (1-2 minutes in length – 5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 2 –4/16/12 – Florida's Governor Rick Scott is in town today to give a key note address at a major economic forum in Palm Beach County, among the topics the Governor was asked about the Trayvon Martin case. Governor Scott says Florida's crime rate is at a forty year low and our tourism is way up. However the Governor cited no specific statistics. (1-2 minutes in length - 5:30PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 2 –4/18/12 – Delray Beach police need the public's help in finding two suspects who robbed a TD Bank. Police say two robbers entered the bank on S.E. 5<sup>th</sup> Ave. at 8:30 in the morning of the previous day. They were wearing what appear to be wigs and sunglasses when they demanded money from a bank teller and fled the scene. No one was hurt and there was no word on how much money they got away with. (1-2 minutes in length – 5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 2 –4/18/12 – A man is wanted for a strong-armed robbery that occurred on a Saturday at the Dollar General store on North Dixie Highway in Lake Worth. Police say he approached a victim from behind and grabbed a gold necklace from her neck. He's described to be in his 20's about 5'10" tall. These types of more aggressive and personal crimes of robbery are on the increase. (1-2 minutes in length – 5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 2 –4/19/12 – A report from Tampa where two high school students' bodies were found burning on a hiking trail early one morning after being killed over a \$500 drug debt. A \$5,000 reward is being offered for information leading to the arrest of those responsible for murdering and 16 year old and an 18 year old. Fellow students say the two were not know as troublemakers. (1-2 minutes in length – 5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 2 – 4/27/12 – Thousands are expected to march in Boynton Beach to ignite a unified movement against violence. Seacrest Avenue is lined with signs promoting bury the violence event. It's in response to a double-murder that rocked the community. Two sisters were shot to death in the family home last month. Their killers remain on the loose. Various church leaders and other activists say their community will no longer be silent. The march begins at City Hall in the morning, and police will escort marchers up north to the Hester Community Center where other family activities are planned. (1-2 minutes in length - 6:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 2 – 4/28/12– Police in Boca Raton are looking for a dangerous suspect who robbed a woman at gunpoint outside the Chase bank. The victim has just left the bank around 9:30AM just after removing \$50,000 and a Rolex watch from a safe deposit box. She was in her car when the suspect approached her threatening her with a gun. He was able to make off with the money and the watch. (1-2 minutes in length - 12:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 2 – 4/30/12 – Martin County had a 3.3% increase in major crimes. Indian River County's numbers fell 6.6%, even though there was an increase in the number of murders last year. In St. Lucie County there was a 6.8% increase in crime from the year 2010, in seven different serious crime categories. The increase in crime in Martin and St. Lucie counties has eyebrows raised with local law enforcement. (1-2 minutes in length -11:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 2 –5/2/12 – Residents in a Martin County community are being targeted by criminals who may be driving almost 100 miles to steal from their homes. Six homes were robbed in an 8 day span, and the crooks are very crafty. They pose as power company employees, lawn crews before breaking into the homes. Investigators also believe these burglars are part of a large organized crime ring in Broward County that rents cars and drives them to the Treasure Coast to commit crimes. (1-2 minutes in length – 5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 3 –4/2/12 – President Barack Obama says he remains confident the Health Care Law approved during his administration will be upheld by the US Supreme Court. Obama says the law was passed by a democratically elected Congress and doesn't feel "unelected" members of the Supreme Court should overturn the legislation. (1-2 minutes in length – 11:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 3 –4/3/12 – First Lady Michelle Obama's show-hopping continues. Tonight, the First Lady will guest star on a two-part makeover episode of NBC's The Biggest Loser. The episode will feature reunions at the White House and even the show's first ever White House workout. The First Lady will talk with contestants about how their behavior can impact their kids' behavior and congratulate them as examples of striving for health and fitness. (1-2 minutes in length - 5:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 3 –4/4/12 – Nurses are staying put inside Palm Beach County schools. The District announced today the renewal of a financial partnership with the County's Health Department. For 15 years, all 169 of the County's schools have had at least one full time nurse on staff. The Health Department picks up about 80% of the cost. Today, leaders from the School Board and Health Department signed on the dotted line to seal the deal keeping the nurses in the schools. (1-2 minutes in length - 5:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 3 – 4/11/12– The number of adults suffering from dementia is expected to triple by 2050. A new report from the World Health Organization finds the number of patients with dementia should reach 115 million by 2050. Right now 35 million people worldwide have the illness. Part of the spike is attributed to the fact people will be living longer in middle income countries. (1-2 minutes in length - 12:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 3 –5/4/12 – The U.S. Attorney's office in Miami announced 16 arrests in the largest pharmaceutical cargo theft case in U.S. history. Prosecutors say the gang responsible for the theft of more than \$75 million dollars worth of stolen pharmaceuticals and other goods, were based out of Miami-Dade. Charges resulting from Operation Southern Hospitality include conspiracy to sell stolen goods and sales of stolen goods. The suspects stole whole tractor trailers loaded with expensive medications from the Northeast and resold them in South Florida. (1-2 minutes in length - 5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 3 –5/6/12– Many of your health care needs may soon be handled by a doctor who has been trained as a nurse. Advanced registered nurse practitioners are increasingly performing more and more duties. Health professionals from the Florida Medical Association say nurses will be better trained, because of higher standards for nursing school. It's an accreditation that could go into effect as soon as 2015. (1-2 minutes in length – 6:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 3 – 5/13/12 – Hundreds of thousands of businesses in our state are eligible for a tax credit but many aren't taking advantage of it. Experts say the law itself is part of the problem. They say many small-business owners are confused, and don't spend the time to understand the rules of the law. Even the federal government agrees far fewer are seeking the credit than expected. (1-2 minutes in length - 6:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 3 – 5/14/12 – Our Contact 5 investigative unit looked into the health of many of our local waterways. They took samples of water from the Intracoastal, the beaches and many of our community waterfront parks. Our results showed that many of the water samples bordered on the poor range. Samples are either; good, moderate or poor. The Health Department has stopped testing for fecal coliform and they say they can cover everything tested every other week. (1-2 minutes in length – 11:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 3 – 6/14/12 – Three of Florida's biggest insurance carriers say they'll hang on to some of the popular provisions of the federal health care law even if the U.S. Supreme Court strikes it down. Those would be United-Health, Aetna and Humana. Florida Blue, the state's largest health insurer, says it will wait on a ruling, which is expected later this month or in early July. (1-2 minutes in length - 6:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 3 – 6/18/12 – The local Veterans' Administration Medical Center in West Palm Beach is hiring more mental health workers to help vets recover. The hospital is seeking forty new people. Doctors at the V.A. say they've seen a huge delay in treatment for veterans suffering from PTSD and they want to stop it. The first batch of new workers should be on board by August 1<sup>st</sup>. (1-2 minutes in length 5:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 3 – 6/22/12 – Almost 20 tuberculosis patients will be released from A.G. Holley State Hospital in Lantana in the coming days as the facility prepares to close next month. The patients will be cared for by their own doctors and community health departments. More serious cases have been transferred to Jackson Memorial Hospital. (1-2 minutes in length -6:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 4 –4/6/12 – Florida's Department of Education says more than fifty Treasure Coast preschools and public schools are considered low-performing providers of the state's voluntary pre-kindergarten program. That means they have failed to have

at least 70% of their children score as ready for kindergarten. Overall, the report says just under one fifth of such school across the state are underperforming. Viewers can see how their school is performing by visiting a website. (1-2 minutes in length – 5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 4 – 4/9/12 – Three Florida schools are in the running for new “Green Ribbon School Awards,” sponsored by the U.S. Dept. of Education. Among the schools was Palm Beach County’s own Pine Jog Elementary in suburban West Palm Beach. The school was nominated for its commitment to reducing environmental impacts and increasing the number of graduates that are environmentally and sustainability literate. The winners will be announced on April 23<sup>rd</sup>. (1-2 minutes in length -6:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 4 – 4/10/12 – A national study to be released today ranks Florida 49<sup>th</sup> out of 50 states in quality education for preschoolers. Every four-year-old in Florida is eligible for a free Pre-K education. That has earned the state the number one ranking in the country from the National Institute for Early Education Research for access. But the same study ranks Florida next to last in quality. The report criticizes the state for increasing class sizes and not requiring at least a bachelor’s degree for Pre-K teachers. (1-2 minutes in length -5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 4 – 5/1/12 – Disability Awareness Week continues today at Jensen Beach High School. Students are learning to be more compassionate and accepting of their peers with disabilities. Students heard the inspirational story of Shari Furnstahl who overcame several disabilities to move to the head of the class despite being told she would never surpass a 5<sup>th</sup> grade level. She has become an author and special education teacher. Later students experienced what it’s like to have a disability with the aid of wheelchairs, blindfolds and ear plugs. (1-2 minutes in length - 5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 4 – 5/2/12 – Palm Beach County schools are inviting parents to consider an alternative education option for their children. On this day, parents can get a peek at “virtual education.” From Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade, students can get computer-based, full-time instruction without ever stepping into an actual classroom. Parents can see demonstrations and meet teachers at the virtual school office, from two to five today in their location in Riviera Beach. (1-2 minutes in length –12:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 4 – 5/14/12 – Early results are in for F-CAT writing scores and they show a dramatic decline. Scores for 4<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grades were between 50% to 40% lower this year than last year. The state board of education is scheduling an emergency conference call about this. They will discuss whether to change what is considered a passing grade. This year’s test underwent several changes including more emphasis on spelling, grammar and structure. (1-2 minutes in length –12:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 4 – 6/1/12 – Palm Beach County teachers’ contract negotiations continue this morning and the teachers continue to push for raises. Teachers have not had experience-based salary increases since 2008 and union leaders say it is not fair for a fourth-year teacher to be paid the same as a brand-new teacher. It would cost the district an estimated \$14.4 million dollars to grant pay hikes. District reps say teachers are appreciated but the District doesn’t have the money. (1-2 minutes in length – 5:00AM)

PROBLEM /NEED 4 – 6/1/12 – There’s new information on the latest round of the F-CAT scores. The State Department of Education reports only 44% of Palm Beach County 9<sup>th</sup> graders received a passing score on this year’s Algebra I end of course exam. This number falls below the state average of 48% of high school freshman scoring satisfactory levels. However, the 44% percent beat the averages of some of the other large urban districts in the state. (1-2 minutes in length - 12:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 5 & 1 – 4/6/12 - Many local lakes and water catchment areas such as Lake Osbourne in John Prince Park and Lake Ida in Delray are being restocked with 2 inch Sunshine Bass. The Florida Fish and Wildlife Commission is doing this restocking in part to help control already abundant fish species and to sustain a new fishery. The FWC says that restocking not only has a big impact on anglers and the sport but each time someone casts out a line – they are helping the local economy. Fishing and the costs associated with it bring money to the local economy and fish hatchlings are one of the cheapest ways to help that boost to the economy to continue. (1-2 minutes in length – 12:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 5 – 4/22/12 – Events took place around the country for the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Earth Day. Locally, hundreds of people gathered in Wellington for several family-friendly events to celebrate the Earth. Attendees learned about honeybees and their impact on the environment, how to make your home much more “green” and even Smokey the Bear made a special pit stop to meet the kids. (1-2 minutes in length – 11:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 5 – 4/24/12 – One of the largest “green” communities in the country is taking shape in Boynton Beach. An apartment community named Seabourn Cove boasts energy efficient windows, a plumbing system that conserves water and some appliances that should save residents money in energy costs. The first two buildings are already booked with tenants who are interested in living in the energy-efficient community. (1-2 minute in length –6:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 5 – 5/3/12 – It's day two of Sunfest and not only will you get to enjoy some great music, food and fun, but believe it or not you'll be helping the environment too! Sunfest joined forces with the Solid Waste Authority in an effort to make the festival a little "greener". Vendors are using rented, reusable tents, and are encouraged to not use paper products. Also a free bike valet is offered to help cut down on traffic congestion. (1-2 minutes in length 5:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 5 – 5/4/12 – You can enjoy the sunshine, the ocean and help the environment at Oceanfront Park in Ocean Ridge. The "Sand-sifters" group will be holding a beach clean-up tomorrow morning from 8-10AM. "Sand-sifters" supplies the bags, gloves and grabbers, you bring water, hats and sun screen. (1-2 minutes in length –5:30PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 5 – 5/15//12 – Federal officials plan to increase their oversight of Florida Power and Light's nuclear plant in Jensen Beach, due to several recent unplanned shutdowns at the site. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission says the plant continues to operate safely but the shutdowns point to performance issues that need to be addressed. There will be a public meeting at the plant tomorrow. (1-2 minutes in length – 5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 5 –6/2 /12 – Grab your fishing rods and let's all hope the weather holds up, today is one of four license-free fishing days of the year. The four days were set aside as a means to promote more outdoor activities, and applies to everyone both residents and non-residents. Today is only for saltwater fishing though and coincides with the start of the Gulf Red Snapper season. Next Saturday the same rules apply but only in freshwater. (1-2 minutes in length 6:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 5 – 6/6/12 – One sea turtle is back in the ocean after spending a couple months recovering at the Loggerhead Marinelife Center. Kiwi was released just over an hour ago from Juno Beach. The turtle was found in the Intracoastal Waterway in April. It has swallowed a hook, was caught in fishing line and stuck to the bottom of the waterway. (1-2 minutes in length - 12:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 5 – 6/21/12 – What started as a tiny experiment has grown into a huge environmental program in Florida to restore endangered coral reefs. After years of being damaged by fishing nets and hurricanes, scientists are working to re-grow coral reefs artificially off the coast of Fort Lauderdale. The coral grows in an underwater nursery and is then harvested. The cuttings are permanently placed on limestone which goes into the ocean. Now the once endangered coral is a thriving reef, supporting an abundant fish life and attracting tourism as well. (1-2 minutes – 6:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 6 & 4 – 4/8/12 – The Palm Beach County School District is in the running for a prestigious award. It's a finalist for the Broad Prize for Urban Education which recognizes advances in education among poor and minority students. The award comes with at least \$150,000 in college scholarships for graduating seniors in 2013. Miami-Dade County is also one of three other district finalists. (1-2 minutes in length - 5:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 6 – 5/17/12 – White children no longer make up a majority of births in the United States. That's according to the latest figures released by the U.S. Census Bureau. Non-Hispanic Whites accounted for 49.6% of all births in the 12 month period that ended last July. The report said a younger generation is being born in which minorities will impact the country's economic and political structure. (1-2 minutes in length – 12:00PM)

PROBLEM/NEED 6 – 6/7/12 – A new report just released shows minority graduates in the sunshine state lead the U.S. across the board. Education Week's Diploma's Count Report shows that Florida's Hispanic and African American students outpaced the national average by 10 and ½ percentage points. Hispanic female graduates top the nation with 77.5% of females graduating. Overall the state's Hispanic graduating class ranks second in the nation. (1-2 minutes in length - 6:00AM)

PROBLEM/NEED 6 – 6/27/12 – Palm Beach County ranks the fourth highest in the state for HIV /AIDS cases. And our Health Department wants more people to get tested for National HIV Testing Day. It's a disease that's been wrapped in stigma for thirty years. Right now more than 7,500 residents are known to live with HIV/AIDS in Palm Beach County. Estimates say the number could be 20% higher. The Health Department says even though they're in the minority overall, Black men and women make up the highest percentage of those infected. And the elderly population is a quickly growing group of those infected. (1-2 minutes in length 6:00PM)

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THESE PROGRAMS FEATURE PROMINENT NEWSMAKERS ON A NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL LEVEL, OR AS FICTIONAL DEPICTIONS OF CURRENT TOPICS.

WPTV produced a half hour weekly News and Political talk show entitled "To The Point with Kelley Dunn." The show is co-hosted by news anchors Kelley Dunn and Michael Williams, and features a roundtable discussion of the week's political news and an interview with a local newsmaker.

PROBLEM/NEED 3 – 4/1/12 – An interview with two local doctors talking about the President's proposed Health Care Plan and what it will mean for both the medical community and patients. The doctors also spoke about the impact on the current insurance providers and the pharmaceutical companies. (30 minutes in length 10:00AM Sundays)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 –4/29/12– A local economist and a local developer spoke about the economy and what the local future looks like for housing and development. Both spoke about the downturn of 2008 and the foreclosure and short sale situations. (30 minutes in length 10:00AM Sundays)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 5/27/12 – This week's guests on To The Point were an investment advisor and a person from the Economic Research Institute to talk about how the economy is going and what the prolonged forecast looks like for the next few years of economic recovery. (30 minutes in length 10:00AM Sundays)

PROBLEM/NEED 6 – 4/8/11 – An interview with the former Supervisor of Elections Theresa LePore who spoke about the challenges of vote counting in the county and how the current restrictions on voter registration is hurting the minority and disenfranchised portions of our community. (30 minutes in length 10:00AM Sundays)

PROBLEM/NEED 1 – 6/7/12, 6/14/12, 6/21/12, and 6/28/12 – Impact 5: The Housing Crisis – Each Thursday during the month of June, we hosted a phone bank of professionals who could speak to the housing crisis and issues with foreclosures and short sales. The phone banks open in the early morning starting in our 5AM newscasts and were open until 9AM. Then they would be manned again starting at 4PM and going until 6:30PM answer the public's questions and directing people to services and agencies that could help them. Each time the phone banks opened the operators were busy the entire time answering calls. More than 100 calls each Thursday were process through the 6 phone call bank. (5AM, 6AM, 7AM, 8AM, 4PM 5PM and 6PM newscasts – various lengths)